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Applicants: Kimble Dong and Datong Chen Attorney Docket No: OMVT112308
Serial No: 09/399,510 Group Art Unit: 2819
Filed: September 20, 1999 Examiner: --
Title: AUTO BLACK EXPANSION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AN IMAGE SENSOR

TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/
REQUEST FOR RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT

November 2, 1999

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Transmitted Herewith are the Following:

- X 1. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in the above-identified U.S. patent application.
- X 2. An Assignment of the invention to OmniVision Technologies, Inc. is attached. A Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- X 3. A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
- X 4. A copy of Form PTO-1533 (Notice to File Missing Parts).

COMPUTATION OF FEE

| | Number Filed | | Number Extra | Rate | | Basic Fee \$380 |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|------|--------|--------------------|
| Total Claims | 10 - 20 | = | x | \$9 | = | |
| Independent Claims | 2 - 3 | = | 0 | \$39 | = | 0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | --- | | --- | \$0 | | 0 |
| Total Filing Fee | | | | \$ | 380.00 | |
| Surcharge Fee (\$65) | | | | \$ | 65.00 | |
| TOTAL | | | | \$ | 445.00 | |

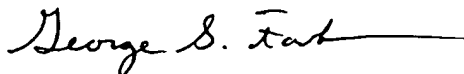
1 Check No. 110661 in the amount of \$445.00 to cover the total fee as computed above
2 is enclosed.

3 B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment:

4 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and
5 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment,
6 to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any
7 extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire
8 prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

9 Respectfully submitted,

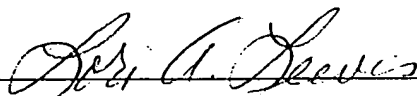
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16 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as
17 first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C.
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a
☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 390

- ☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:
☒ missing.
☐ insufficient.
Applicant must submit \$ 760 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- ☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:
\$ _____ for _____ total claims over 20.
\$ _____ for _____ independent claims over 3.
\$ _____ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.
- ☒ 3. The oath or declaration:
☒ is missing or unsigned.
☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.
An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.
- ☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- ☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).
- ☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.
- ☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.
Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.52(d), (k) unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- ☐ 9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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